AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1-84.   Previously Cancelled

85.   (Previously Presented)   A method, comprising:

in a server of a network, storing a plurality of images representing pages of a

book, said images stored with a resolution effective to enable said book to be read;

responsive to a request over the network, sending one of said images to a

remote node; and

determining if the request for pages exceeds a certain threshold, and sending

said information only if said threshold is not exceeded.

86.   (Previously Presented)   A method as in claim 85, wherein said images

are classified according to whether they count towards said threshold, and incrementing

a counter only when an image that counts towards said threshold is requested.

87.   (Original)   A method as in claim 85 wherein said determining comprises

storing information indicative of an amount of reading into a computer file.

88.   (Original)   A method as in claim 87 wherein said computer file is a

cookie.

89.   (Original)   A method as in claim 87 wherein said computer file is

persistent.

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90.   (Original)   A method as in claim 87 wherein said computer file expires

after a predetermined time.

91.   Previously Cancelled

92.   Previously Cancelled

93.   Cancelled

94.   Cancelled

95.   Cancelled

96.   (Previously Presented)   A method comprising:

receiving, at a client of a network, information about which of a specified plurality

of images to be displayed, each of specified plurality of images showing textual

information and at least a plurality of said images showing non-textual information, said

textual information representative of contents of a book;

displaying said images responsive to said requests;

displaying a screen tip, indicating what the reaction will be to a specified

operation.

97.   (Previously Presented)   A method as in claim 96 further comprising

commanding an opening of the book to see an inside of the book.

98.   (Previously Presented)   A method comprising:

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receiving, at a client of a network, information about which of a specified plurality of images to be displayed, each of specified plurality of images showing textual information and at least a plurality of said images showing non-textual information, said textual information representative of contents of a book;

displaying said images responsive to said requests; and

wherein each of said images use a graded resolution, which provides readable resolution for readable parts and a different resolution for non-readable parts.

99.   (Previously Presented)   A method as in claim 98 wherein said readable parts are in a text format and said different parts are in an image format.

100.   (Previously Presented)   A method comprising:

receiving, at a client of a network, information about which of a specified plurality of images to be displayed, each of specified plurality of images showing textual information and at least a plurality of said images showing non-textual information, said textual information representative of contents of an information media;

displaying said images responsive to said requests; and

displaying keys which enable moving a position of viewing of said information media.

101.   (Original)   A method as in claim 100 wherein said keys change meaning depending on their position.

102.   (Previously Presented)   A method comprising:

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receiving, at a client of a network, information about which of a specified plurality

of images to be displayed, each of specified plurality of images showing textual

information and at least a plurality of said images showing non-textual information, said

textual information representative of contents of an entertainment media;

displaying said images responsive to said requests; and

detecting a number of pages that have been read, and limiting use of said

number of pages.

103.   (Original)   A method as in claim 102 further comprising detecting a type

of page which is being requested, and limiting use of only a specified type page.

104.   (Original)   A method as in claim 91 wherein said network is the Internet.

105.   (Original)   A method of reading a book over the Internet, comprising:

requesting a page of a book on a client of the Internet;

determining, in a server of the Internet, if more than a specified number of pages

of said book have been requested by a specified user; and

sending said page only if the specified number of pages does not exceed a

threshold.

106.   (Original)   A method as in claim 105 wherein the specified pages are

specified types of pages, and wherein non-specified types of pages are sent without

said limit.

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107.   (Original)   A method as in claim 105 further comprising allowing the user to read beyond the specified number of pages after paying a fee.

108-115   previously Cancelled

116-119. Cancelled

120.   Previously Cancelled

121.   (Previously Presented)   An apparatus comprising:

a computer, providing limited pages of books that can be viewed over a publically available network, and including a connection to the network, and which recieves information indicative of at least one desired page of a book over the connection to the network; and returns information indicative of only limited images of pages of the book based on said information; and

wherein said computer limits a number of pages that can be displayed.

122.   (Original)   An apparatus as in claim 121, wherein said information is information indicative of additional image information.

123.   (Original)   An apparatus as in claim 121, wherein said information includes information indicative of larger image size.

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124.   (Original)   An apparatus as in claim 121, wherein said information

includes an image having sufficient image quality to allow reading textual information

from the images of the pages.

125.   Previously Cancelled

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